

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, )

Plaintiff, )

4:04CR3111

vs. )

**MEMORANDUM  
AND ORDER**

LEOPOLDO ROMO, )

Defendant. )

On January 18, 2006, the court ordered the United States to answer the defendant's § 2255 claim alleging ineffective assistance of counsel. The government has filed a second motion (filing 56) to extend the time in which it must file an answer to the defendant's § 2255 claim, stating that additional time is needed to obtain an affidavit from defense counsel. I shall grant the government's motion.

**IT IS ORDERED:**

1. The government's Second Motion to Extend Time to File Answer to Defendant's Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (filing 56) is granted;
2. By March 13, 2006, the United States shall file an answer to the defendant's § 2255 claim, supported by a brief; and
3. By April 12, 2006, the defendant may file a reply brief.

March 6, 2006.

BY THE COURT:  
*s/ Richard G. Kopf*  
United States District Judge